Show Me Express features time-sensitive information about State Library programs and current news of interest to the Missouri library community.

NEW Live Webinar for Missouri Library Directors

Tuesday, Jan. 22, at 11:00 a.m. Central Time

Missouri library directors are invited to participate in this **free** live one-hour webinar, *Working Effectively with Your Library Trustees*, led by United for Libraries Executive Director Sally Gardner Reed. This webinar includes tips and strategies for directors for working effectively with the library's board of trustees. The webinar is free for Missouri library directors and is limited to 100 participants. Visit the Trustee Academy website to sign up for the free webinar.

Contact Brenda Allee-Bates at brenda.alleebates@sos.mo.gov or 800-325-0131, ext. 8, for more information on trustee education opportunities.

Mental Health First Aid Training

Library staff is more likely to encounter a person in an emotional or mental crisis than someone having a heart attack. In addition to calling for help, library staff can learn to administer First Aid to persons experiencing a mental health crisis. One hundred Missouri library workers have a great opportunity to get Mental Health First Aid (MHFA) training **free of charge** in five locations in early 2013. MHFA is an eight-hour course that teaches individuals about the signs and symptoms of the most common mental health problems. MHFA is proven to reduce the stigma connected to mental health problems and equips the public to help persons with these problems connect to care. Seating is limited to 20 library employees per site, so staff is encouraged to register early but only if truly planning to attend.

- St. Louis, Mo. on Jan. 28 at SLPRC, 5300 Arsenal St., St. Louis, Mo.
- Springfield, Mo. on Jan. 31 at at The Library Center, 4653 S. Campbell Ave., Springfield, Mo.
- Cape Girardeau, Mo. on Feb. 11 at Cape Girardeau Public Library, 711 N. Clark St., Cape Girardeau, Mo.
- Fulton, Mo. on Feb. 22 at Fulton State Hospital, 600 E. 5th St., Fulton, Mo.

- Independence, Mo. on March 12, in partnership with the Mid-America Library Alliance, at Mid-Continent Public Libraries Administrative Headquarters, 15616 E. US Hwy 24, Independence, Mo.

Visit www.Librarian411.org for more information and to register. This program is sponsored by a Library Services Technology Assistance Grant administered by the Missouri Department of Mental Health. For more information, please contact Tonya.Hays-Martin@dmh.mo.gov.

Collections added to Missouri Digital Heritage in 2012

Missouri Digital Heritage added substantial amounts of new content in the year 2012. Links were added to new and existing digital collections housed at institutions across the state. MDH staff also added collections from a variety of institutions to the CONTENTdm database. To view a list of collections added in 2012, click here.

Explore more Missouri history collections at www.MissouriDigitalHeritage.com. Institutions wishing to participate in Missouri Digital Heritage may contact mdh@sos.mo.gov.

Library Skills Winter Institute Registration is Open

Registration for Library Skills Winter Institute is now open. Each class is limited to 30 participants, so early registration is encouraged. The advanced courses include:

- Collection Development with John Paul Myrick, Director of Library Development for the West Virginia State Library and adjunct collection development instructor at the University of Alabama; and
- Children's Services with Penny Peck, editor of *BayNews*, the newsletter for the Association of Children's Librarians of Northern California, part-time instructor at San Jose State University specializing in classes on youth and teen services, and author of three books on children's services, published by Libraries Unlimited, including *Readers' Advisory for Children and 'Tweens*.

Registration closes Feb. 1.

Some restrictions to participation in the institute do apply, so please read the information and guidelines carefully prior to registration. For more information, contact Ann Roberts, Continuing Education Consultant, at ann.roberts@sos.mo.gov or 800-325-0131, ext. 5.

LAST CALL

Nonfiction Collection Makeover Grant Opportunity

The Missouri State Library is providing two tools to grant writers seeking to submit Nonfiction Collection Makeover grant applications.

1) Program and Budget Narrative Example: An example of what is expected for the program narrative and budget worksheet is available on [WebJunction Missouri](#).
2) Online Training Sessions: Two online training sessions will be held Jan. 17 at 9:00 am and 2:00 pm. Registration for the application overview session is required and can be completed [online](#).

Applications are available at [Nonfiction Collection Makeover](#) and must be postmarked or hand-delivered by Feb. 15. For further information about this and other LSTA grant opportunities, contact Debbie Musselman at 800-325-0131, ext. 14, or [debbie.musselman@sos.mo.gov](#).

Learn More About Using Gale Discovering Collection

On Jan. 17, from 10 – 11 am, MOREnet will host a one-hour webinar on using the Gale Discovering Collection. By attending this webinar, staff at public libraries will learn how to take advantage of this valuable resource for youth/teen patrons while educators will learn more about supporting middle and high school learning through the use of these online resources, which are available to most Missouri schools and libraries.

[Registration](#) is open.

MOREnet Training Opportunities
E-rate Training

MOREnet is offering the following courses for e-rate training:

- E-rate Application Lessons Learned, Jan. 8, 10 – 11 am
- E-rate Form 471 Window Closing Checklist, Feb. 12, 10 – 11 am
- E-rate Consortium Requirements, March 12, 10 – 11 am

For more information and registration, go to the [MOREnet Web Seminars](#) page.

Mobile Device Training

MOREnet Mobile Device Basics Regional Training is on the road!

The MOREnet staff will be providing regional training for library staff using their collection of mobile devices on the following dates at the locations listed:

- Poplar Bluff Public Library, Jan. 15
- Rolling Hills Consolidated Library, St. Joseph, Jan. 18
- Adair County Public Library, Kirksville, Jan. 24
- Jefferson County Library, Arnold, Jan. 30
- Springfield-Greene County Library, Feb. 1

For more information and registration, go to the [MOREnet training website](#).

Internet Content Filtering (ICF) Training

Thursday, Jan. 17, 2 – 3 pm

In January, MOREnet is performing an upgrade to the INTERNET CONTENT FILTERING (ICF) service to include a number of popular new features. Features include authentication overrides, customizable settings, usage reports and logging, filtering of mobile devices on campus and remote off-campus filtering for Windows and MAC clients.

[Register](#) to join MOREnet for a Web Seminar to review the ICF service, its new features, and to tour the new interface.